UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR

In the Matter of)
CHARLES D. SHARP & ASSOCIATES, INC., d/b/a SHARP HOMES, HUNTER'S RIDGE DEVELOPMENT,	DOCKET NO. CWA-053 06 96 06 VE
Respondent	REGIONAL HEARING CLERK USEPA REGION 5

REPORT RECOMMENDING CONTINUATION OF ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS

The Report approved August 25, 2009 provides that this alternative dispute resolution (ADR) process terminates September 30, 2009. The recommendation of this Report is that the ADR process be continued for a final month, to October 31, 2009.

This continuation of the ADR process is recommended because the parties' negotiations have developed the possibility of a settlement, but additional time is needed if a settlement is to be actually concluded. In a conference call on September 24, 2009 the parties agreed that the ADR process should be continued.

Accordingly, the undersigned will continue to work as a Neutral in this case and will file another report with the Chief Administrative Law Judge by October 31, 2009 unless otherwise directed by her.

Barbara A. Gunning

Administrative Law Judge

Dated: September 24, 2009

Approved:

Susan L. Biro

Chief Administrative Law Judge

Dated:

In ADR Matter Charles D. Sharp & Associates, Inc., d/b/a Sharp Homes, Hunter's Ridge Development, Respondent.

Docket No. CEA-05-2009-0006

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the foregoing **Report Recommending Continuation of Alternative Dispute Resolution Process**, dated September 24, 2009, was sent this day in the following manner to the addressees listed below.

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